NOW HE IS SANE.

Joseph Healy, Who Terrorized Governor Leedy's Force.

Now Trying to Recover Possession of Property.

HAD TWO GUARDIANS.

I. A. Strauss, of Topeka, Held to Be Proper One.

How Healy Was Captured in Executive Rooms.

Joseph Healy, of Lincoln county, the man who on March 1, 1897, entered the office of Governor Leedy armed with two big revolvers, threatening everybody and demanding protection from an imaginary mob, is the central figure in an interesting case filed yesterday in the supreme court.

Involved in the case is a double guardlanship, a conflict of authority between the probate courts of Shawnee and Lincolu counties in the insanity trial which resulted from Healy's raid on the governor's office, and the disputed authori- liken. ty of I. A. Strauss, ex-chief of police of Topeka, who was appointed guardian

of Topeks, who was appointed guardian of Healy by the Shawnee county court. Healy was released from the Topeka insane asylum in August, 1904, as cured. He is now fighting for the possession of a valuable wheat farm in Lincoin county where he owned at the time of his escapade with Governor Leedy, and which was sold during his incarceration by the incarce asylum.

which was solid during his incarceration in the insane asylum.

Healy and his wife, Bridget Healy, owned a quarter section of good farm land in Lincoln county. They needed money, and mortgaged the farm in 1891 for \$1,100. Then Mrs. Healy died, leaving her half of the farm to her husband and five minor children. The mortgage was due and unpaid, and Healy worried greatly over his affairs. One day he turned up missing, and when next heard from, he was in Topeka, trying to get an audience with Governor Leedy. He met Major A. P. Shreve at the door of the governor. Major Shreve, not realizing the man's condition, turned him over to Harry H. Fleharty, Governor Leedy's private secretary.

"You wish to see Governor Leedy."

said Mr. Fleharty.

"You wish to se

"Yes, sir," replied the crazy man. "I must see him."
"Just sit down," said Mr. Fleharty.
"The governor is engaged just now but will soon be at liberty."
"But I can not wait," said the man, getting excited. "They are after me, and I must see the governor right away. I can not wait, I tell you."
Mr. Fleharty immediately realized that the man was crazy, and he assumed an air of careless familiarity, saxing:

The cans were con spector yesterday, Surenday, and after the distribution of the wards and an air of careless familiarity, saxing:

saying:
"That's too bad, indeed it is, Just come over here and sit down, and tell me all about it."

me all about it."

The man complied with the request, but not without many suspicious glances around the room for the "people" who were after him.
"Who is after you?" asked Mr.

"Five counties are after me and they want to lynch me."
"Why are they after you?"
"They say there is a girl in it, but it is not true. The girl and I had a case in court, but that is all there is

"When did you get here?"

"At 2 o'clock this afternoon."

"Where did you stay last night?"

"I slept in a shock of corn near Minneapoils. They were after me all night. I could hear people in fine carriages and surreys driving around all night looking for me to kill me, and I kept as quiet as I could. But they found my tracks in the snow and found where I was. Then they piled some more corn on top of the shock and set fire to it. Then I jumped out and shot three men, but they are still after me."

the crazy man got out his two pistols, one of them a large Colts, and amused himself by pointing them at Fleharty's head. Fleharty didn't lose his nerve, however, and when Chief of Police Steele arrived, Fleharty calmly introduced him as Governor Leedy. Healy found that he was unable to escape from Chief Steele's handshake, and allowed himself to be disagreed and lowed himself to be disagreed and

lowed himself to be disarmed and taken to the station without resistance. It happened that Sheriff S. M. Hoover, of Lincoln county, was in Topeka at the time Healy was arrested, and Hoover went before the probate court and swore to a warrant charging Healy with insanity. The case was duly tried before Judge Dolman, and Healy sent to the Topeka asylum. I. A. Strauss, former chief of police, was appointed as guardian, and gave \$100 bond. Sheriff Hoover went back to Lincoln

county, and apparently set the legal machinery in motion there, also, for within a short time the probate court of Lincoln county, appointed one John F. Linker to be guardian of Healy's P. Linker to be guardian of Healy's property. Linker took charge of all the assets, while Strauss at Topeka did nothing whatever. Strauss was appar-ently ignorant of the fact that Healy

had any property.

Meantime T. H. Fitzpatrick, a Lincoln county man, bought the note and mortgage given by Healy and his wife. and started foreclosure proceedings, in Roosevelt visited the trade schools. At which he recognized Linker as the guardian of Healy, and caused the papers to be served on him. In 1838, the upon Secretary Faft the degree of hondistrict court gave a judgment for Fitz-orary president. At noon Rear Admiral to satisfy the judgment. The amount of the judgment was \$1.440, and Fitz-Rear Admiral Enquist. The party patrick could be upon the party of Secretary Taft, Miss Roosevelt and of the judgment was \$1.440, and Fitz-Rear Admiral Enquist. The party patrick could be upon the party of Secretary of War Taft and Miss Alice and Miss Alice 10 colors and the trade schools. At 10 colors and 10 patrick got the property by paying \$510 then resisted the Cavite navy yard. The party to Timothy Foran, who had been occupying it, for \$1,950.

Things were in this shape when Jos-



Sarsaparilla. Your doctor will tell you why he prescribes it for thin blood. weak nerves. He will explais why it gives strength, courage, endurance. Sold for J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mans. over sixty years.

Healy, however, is in very good shape. He has recovered his mind, and will probably recover his property. The land is in the Kansas wheat belt, and is much more valuable than it was when Healy went crazy, for it is since that time that the country has developed its rich agricultural properties. ed its rich agricultural properties.

GIVES SHORT MEASURE.

Another Charge Against the Standard Oil Co.

Kansas City, Aug. 10.—In addition to the state of Kansas and Thomas W. Lawson the Standard Oil company has incurred the displeasure of the municipal authorities of Kansas City. As a result, there are now piled up in the city hall twenty oil buckets, the property of the Standard Oil company, alleged to hold five gallons each, every one of which is short in dimensions, according to tests made by James Davidson, inspector of weights and measures.

spector yesterday, taken from the Standard's wagons while the drivers were engaged in supplying oil to the retallers of the city. The drivers were not molested, but the buckets were

taken into custody.

The wagons of the Standard were followed, and after one had made a delivery it was pounced down upon by an inspector, who tested the four buckets it carried. The inspector carried with him a five gallon measure, one of the kind that your Uncle Sam approves. He poured oil from the Standard's bucket into the standard bucket, and when the former did not come up to requirements, it was seized. All in all, thirty-two buckets were examined and twenty were de-

BAD MIXUP AT BUFFALO.

Veteran Driver Geers Injured, But

you. Just wait here until I can go and telephone."

Fleharty went to the telephone and called up the police station, explained the circumstances, and asked for a couple of officers. Then he went back to entertain his crazy friend. While waiting for the arrival of the officers, the crazy man got out his two pistols, one of them a large Colts, and amused himself by pointing them at Fleharty's head. Fleharty didn't lose his nerve.

Wheel of Locanda's sulky. There was a tangle of horses, sulkies and drivers almost immediately swallowed up in a cloud of dust. When the scene cleared up. Geers was seen prostrate on the ground, Driver Snow was on his feet making his way to the judges' stand, Locanda had been safely caught, and King Direct had started on a wild runaway, dragging along a somewhat shattered sulky.

Soon stable hands and others, insoon stable hands and others, including a physician, were at Geers' side. It was found he had suffered a bad cut of his leg and was stunned, but he speedily recovered his breath, and his first words were:

"Now don't make a hurrah of this thing and scare everybody to death for nothing."

for nothing."

Locanda had won two heats in the 2:04 pace when the accident occurred, and as the judges found both drivers blameless and placed the horses in the final heat, the Allerton stallion got the race. Locanda was favorite at \$50 to \$10 on the field before the first heat and ruled favorite throughout.

Manila, Manila, Aug. 10.—This morning Secretary of War Tuft and Miss Alice

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 10.—Detroit American management has practically closed terms for the purchase of Arthur Lundin, who has made the best showing of the local pitchers this season. Cleveland, Chicago and Boston Americans have made offers for Sweeney, shortstop, and Carlisle, outfielder. Other teams are after Lakaff, the southpaw.

The Variag Is Floated. Tokio, Aug. 10.—The imperial navy department has announced the successful floating of the cruiser Variag yesterday afternoon. In view of the difficulty encountered there is a strong feeling of general satisfaction over the raising of the vessel.

The Russian crulsers Variag and Korletz were sunk by the Japanese in the harbor of Chemulpo on February 9, 1904.

M. A. Waterman Has Decided to Close the Joints.

Will Make Kansas City, Kansas, a Very Dry Town.

EXPLAINS HIS PLANS.

To Bring Quo Warranto Proceedings to Higher Court.

Fails to State Why He Breaks

Into the Matter.

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Mr. Waterman said that he had asked the county attorney, J. S. Gibson, to prepare quo warranto proceedings to be fined in the name of the state against Kansas City, Kan., in the Kansas supreme court to stop the city from collecting regular fines from saloonkeepers, This action will be taken upon legal advice that the situation in this city is covered by a decision of the supreme court ousting the city of Topeka from a transpassion is on also but not strong as later on.

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"I will mention my trip from Frisco: We had fine weather all the way. We had fine weather all the way we have the fire of the county attorney of the city from collecting regular fines from saloonkeepers, This action will be taken upon legal advice that the situation in this city is covered by a decision of the supreme court outsing the city of Topeka from a covered by a decision of the supreme court outsing the city of Topeka from a covered by a decision of the supreme court outsing the city of Topeka from a covered by the top the city for more covered by a decision of the supreme court ousting the city of Topeka from the exercise of license authority. If the county attorney falls to bring the proceedings by the early part of next week Mr. Waterman said that he would carry the matter to Governor Hoch and the attorney general.

The bringing of ouster proceedings against officials in this city, is also contemplated by Mr. Waterman. Regarding his crusade for law enforcement he said last night;

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"The Folk idea is spreading throughout the country like a prairie fire, and
nowhere outside of Missouri is it making greater progress than in Kansas.
This idea has taken deep and firm root
in the hearts of so many of our good
citizens that I feel confident the great
fight for law and order was begun in
earnest in our city, and that it cannot
be stopped so long as indulgences to violate the law are sold by certain city
and county officials."

The decision of the supreme court upon which Mr. Waterman is depending

on which Mr. Waterman is depending was written in 1884 by Justice Valen-tine, all the justices concurring.

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How He Escaped Quarantine. Minneapolis. They were after me all night. I could hear people in fine carriages and surreys driving around all night looking for me to kill me, and I kept as quiet as I could. But they found my tracks in the snow and found where I was. Then they piled and shot three men, but they are still after me."

"I will see to it that no one hurts you," said Mr. Fleharty. "I will order out a company of soldiers to protect you. Just wait here until I can go and Fleharty went to the telephone and Engled up the police station, explained a look of dust. When the scene is all and shot where the sound and shot three men, but they are still and the sulky back of King Direct pacing out a company of soldiers to protect you. Just wait here until I can go and Fleharty went to the telephone and a long of dust. When the scene is all minost immediately swallowed up in Figharty went to the telephone and carriages and surreys driving around all night looking for me to kill me, and sill night looking for me to kill me, and it was fill a to a look of this place, a traveling men, who "covers" the southern country, and said of this place. Baird left his trunks and connot into the parish under penalty

of the bride's parents. Mr. Thomas guilty on the charges of disturbing the occupies the chair of mathematics in the high school in Missoula, Mont. the high school in Missoula, Mont.,

Buggy Struck by a Car. To show he was all right, Geers then came out and, back of Turley in the 2:11 trot which followed, won the deciding heat, being given a tremendous ovation.

Nathan Strauss also suffered in the accident, falling over the first two which fell. King Direct was badly injured in his runaway and probably will not race again this year.

Locanda had won two heats in the Good Well at Garnett.

Good Well at Garnett. Garnett, Kan., Aug. 10.—The Gar-ett Gas company has struck one of nett Gas company has struck one of the strongest gas wells yet found in this field. The pressure was so strong that water could not be kept in the well to wet the sand. Another was commenced Wednesday.

E. W. Howe's Boys Do Well. People always like to hear that a boy is doing well. Eugene Howe, an Atchion boy nineteen years old, the exposition reporters on the Portland Oregonian, the leading paper of the

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for his newspaper work, and, in addition, receives \$7 a week for extra work on the official exposition programme. His brother Jim has an equally good position on the San Francisco Chronicle,—Atchison Globe.

ON FLAGSHIP OHIO. Chase County Sailor Writes of His Manila Experience

Cottonwood Falls, Kan. Aug. 9.
To the Editor of the State Journal:
J. M. Bates of this city has received a belated letter of June 14 from his son, O. A. Bates, on the United States flagship Ohio, stationed at Cavite. P. I. It may be of some interest to the readers of the Journal:
"It has been some time since I wrote to you and some time since I heard from you. I am getting along fine, perspiring lots but that is what is good for a fellow in this climate.
"This is the rainy season here now. The typhoon season is on also but not strong as later on.

where we should meet the fleet.

"After another nice run we arrived at Cavite May 7. Cavite is across the bay from Manila about eight miles away. They are really on the same side but that is the way we call it. We met the battleshtps Oregon, and Wisconsin, the monitor Monadnock, and the cruisers Cincinnati, Raleigh

and the cruisers Cincinnati, Raleigh and Baltimore.

"We left Friday, three weeks ago. The Ohio was made the flagship and we were in the lead. Following came the Wisconsin, Oregon, etc. After we had been out until Friday we sighted three coming up from under the horizon. We know the state of the deep water. The youngest son, a boy about 10 years of age, was washed into a tree and saved himself. three coming up from under the horizon. We knew they could not be anything else but a fiest because no more than one of any other kind of a ship travel that way. They turned out

ship travel that way. They turned out to be three Russian cruisers that had escaped from the rest of their fleet in a fog in a battle with Japan.

"We saluted and they signaled that they were damaged and that they wanted to go into Manlla harbor for shelter from the Japanese. We escorted them into the bay where they were dismantled.

tine, all the justices concurring.

The decision said:

"Cities of the state of Kansas have no power to license or authorize the sale of intoxicating liquors.

"Such power has not been conferred upon cities, but has been withheld from them and prohibited.

"Whenever a municipal corporation usurps any power which might be conferred upon it by the sovereign power of the state, but which has not been so conferred, such corporation may be cousted from the exercise of such power by a civil action in the nature of quo warranto in the supreme court."

Mr. Gibson, the county attorney, said last night that he had talked with Mr. Waterman about the bringing of quo warranto proceedings but that he and with the last car for feel was a state of the state of the state. The supreme court."

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"Your son, O. A. BATES."

AN ANXIOUS HALF HOUR.

Cottonwood Falls Tourist En Route to Colorado Forgets Purse.

A person to look at Ed Brandley in his calm, cool, moments would not to dream that he was the kind of the man to sweat under any circumstances but when he and Mrs. Brandley started for he cool climate of Colorado last Friday, Ed got wrought up to the boiling point. They caught the last car for feel was a triffe hard.

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"Your son, O. A. BATES." day, Ed got wrought up to the boiling point. They caught the last car for Strong to catch their train and about bucket, and when the former did not come up to requirements, it was seized. All in all, thirty-two buckets were examined and twenty were declared confiscated. The average shortage was said to be a haff pint in five gallons.

City Attorney Swenson said last night that he proposed to invoke the law against the Standard and institute proceedings in police court under the ordinance which makes it a misdendral makes it have time to cool off on Pike's Peak be-fore he comes beck.—Chase County Leader.

DID HE STEAL DYNAMITE.

His preliminary hearing has been set for 9 o'clock Friday morning. Sheriff Richardson, fearing a mob, wanted to take Melvin to Fort Scott pending the Wedding at Fort Scott.

Fort Scott, Kan., Aug. 10.—Frank J.

Thomas and Miss Mildred Marvin, exstudents of the University of Kansas and of the University of Kansas and of the University of Chicago, were married here last evening at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Thomas guilty on the charges of disturbing the guilty on the charges of disturbing the state of mathematics in the charges of disturbing the state of mathematics in the charges of disturbing the state of mathematics in the charges of disturbing the state of mathematics in the charges of disturbing the state of mathematics in the charges of disturbing the state of the charge of t

Veterans Object to Carnival. Pittsburg, Kan., Aug. 10.—Some of the old soldiers interested in the Pittsburg reunion are advocating making a radical change. The veterans who want the reunion to be a reunion of old soldiers in the true sense propose that the carnival feature be do with. They claim that the side shows, grafters, fakers and rough crowd which cannot be eliminated at present are a drawback to the reunion.

Unknown Man Killed at Holton. Holton, Kan., Aug. 10.—The east-bound Kansas City Northwestern train, bound Kansas City Northwestern train, due here at 2:02 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, struck and killed an unidentified man in the afternoon about one mile west of Holton. Nothing about the body indicates the man's name. The hat band contains the following initials: "J. R. S., Canton, Kan." Photographs of other persons were found in his pockets. The pictures were taken at Olathe, The inquest will be held today.

W. W. Hamilton a Suicide. Mound City, Kan., Aug. 10.-W. W. Hamilton, a prominent farmer and stockman living near Oakwood station. stockman living near Oakwood station, in the northwestern part of this country, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. He had been suffering from nervous prostration for a year, and it is thought his suicide was the result of melancholia. He left no communication and the family had no intimation that he contemplated killing himself.

Lightning Destroys a Barn. Concordia, Kan., Aug. 10.—A large grain and hay barn on the farm of Fred Ward, in Nelson township, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed, together with 2,000 bushels of wheat and a large lot of alfalfa, implements, etc. The barn was recently built to take the place of one burned by a

Farmer and Sons Drowned. Pittsburg, Kan., Aug. 10.—John Walters and his two elder sons were drowned in Hickory creek near McCune while fording the creek with a load of hay. Mr. Walter and his three sons had crossed the creek after a load of hay. The heavy rain of Sun-day evening had caused the stream to RAILROAD NEWS.

Says T. J. Loftus After a Few Rounds

With Ex-Senator Wulfekuhler. Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 10 .- T. J Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 10.—T. J.
Loftus, a prominent cutizen, caused considerable excitement in the city court here when he attempted to administer a beating to ex-State Senator Louis Wulfekuhler. The attack took place in the court house immediately after the adjournment of the city court. Bystanders interfered, and what promised to be a lively fistic exhibition came to an abrupt end. Mr. Loftus was arrested and fined \$10 by the court.

Loftus recently had some work done by the Fisher machine works of this city, and the Fishers held the Ryan estate responsible for the account. Mr. Loftus' wife is executrix of the Ryan estate, and the work was done on an ice plant belonging to it. The court held that the estate was not liable for the bill contractel by Loftus. During the trial Mr. Wulfekuhler, who represented the machine works, is said to have made some very uncomplimentary remarks concerning Mr. Loftus, and the latter twice asked the court for protection, declaring that if it were not accorded him he would seek redress himself. Loftus succeeded in larding a few uppercouts before the bystanders interfered, and declares that he got his \$10 worth.

Gossip and Matters of Interest in Railroad Circles.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—The first definite step looking toward the arbitration of the struggle which has been in progress for over a week between the Great Northern and Northern Pacific rallways and the Order of Railway Telegraphers was taken yesterday when Governor John A. Johnson addressed letters to President J. J. Hill and Howard Elliott of the railways and President H. B. Perham of the telegraphers, urging a settlement of the trouble and offering his services as medical contracts. the court.

Loftus recently had some work done

Changes in College Faculty.
Winfield, Kan., Aug. 10.—The board
of trustees of Southwest Kansas college
elected Rev. F. E. Mossman of Chicago
president of the college in place of
George F. Cook, resigned. Mr. Mossman is a graduate of Morningside university. Sioux City, Iowa, and Chicago
university, taking his A. M. degree at
the latter place. Miss Frances Cullen
Moffett was elected directress of the
music department, and W. M. Freeland
principal of the business department.
Other vacancies will be filled later.

Manual Training for Winfield. Winfield, Kan., Aug. 10.—The board of education of Winfield has decided to put manual training in the city schools. C. J. Smith of Wichita will give the preliminary instructions.

Mound City Wedding. Mound City, Kan., Aug. 10.—Frank H. Harrin, superintendent of Linn county, was married to Miss Hattie Cummins, of this city, late Wednesday.

New Form of Money Order. Washington, Aug. 10.—Before leav-ing for his vacation Postmaster Genng for his vacation Postmaster or a rai Cortelyou directed the issuance of a new form of money order which, it is believed, will be proof against alteris believed, will be proof against alteration at the hands of forgers. The department has been greatly annoyed by the operations of persons who purchase money orders for small amounts and raise them, passing them upon merchants after office hours. Although the direct loss falls entirely on those who accept the orders, the department refusing to cash them except as originally drawn, there has been a heavy indirect expense involved in the pursuit, arrest and conviction of the offenders.

Maud Gonne Divorced.

Paris, Aug. 19.—The civil tribunal of the Seine today pronounced a judicial separation in the case of Major John McBride, who was a prominent member of the Irish brigade of the Boer army in the South African war, and his wife, formerly Maud Gonne, the well known agitator, who has been called the Irish "Joan of Arc." Mrs. McBride retains the custody of their children whom the major will be allowed to visit periodically. The question of an absolute divorce will be heard at a future sitting. Maud Gonne Divorced.

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a future sitting.

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made better-tastes better,

First Step Towards Arbitration of Great Northern Strike Taken

Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota, Offers His Services as Mediator.

STRIKERS WILLING.

Both Men and Railway Company Are Claiming the Victory.

terms of the letters written by Governor Johnson are not known as the governor preferred that they should be given out by the recipients if they saw fit. In a general way, however, the governor outlined to the Associated man is a graduate of Morningside university. Sloux City, Iowa, and Chicago university, taking his A. M. degree at the latter place. Miss Frances Cullen Moffett was elected directress of the music department, and W. M. Freeland principal of the business department. Other vacancies will be filled later.

Death of a Veteran.

Kansas City, Aug. 10.—Valentine Carpenter, an old soldier who had made Kansas City his home for a number of years, died yesterday morning the company of the state of the company of the state and appealed to the totake speedy steps to secure an adjustment of the existing troubles. To this end he tendered the good office of the chief executive saying that he stood ready to appoint a commission to consider the differences between the consider the differences between the consider the differences between the consider the tifferences between the consider the tifferences between the consider the tifferences between the consider the differences between the consider the tifferences between the consideration to the fact that the present strike was working a hardship in various communities throughout the state and appealed to railway is conducting crude oil experiments on its line.

F. S. Savage, of the passenger department of the called the officials' attention to the fact that the present strike was working a hardship in various communities throughout the state and appealed to railway

assist them to come to some agreement that would permit the roads to move their traffic without the delays and inconveniences that are now said to extend the Santa Fe track near T Governor Johnson was prompted to take this action by numerous letters he has received from commercial organizations and citizens of the state urging

tions and clitzens of the state urging him to take some measure to end the struggle. The governor stated that some of the letters he had received declared that business in sections of the state was almost paralyzed by the conditions which now prevalls.

Both President Hill and President Elliott are now in the east, although the former is expected to reach St. Paul Elliott are now in the east, although the former is expected to reach St. Paul some time this week. President Perham of the telegraphers

has stated on several occasions that he is willing to submit his case to any enlarging the freight room and put-fair minded tribunal.

day.

General Superintendent Slade in a statement said so far as the Great Northern was concerned the strike is a closed incident The Northern Pacific officials did not give out any official statement today, saying that conditions had so improved

that there was no longer a necessity for a daily bulletin.
On the other hand officials at strike headquarters say that with very few exceptions their men are standing loyal-

CONCERT HORN FOR SANTA FE.

CONCERT HORN FOR SANTA FE.

Unique and Clever Scheme to Attract
Homeseckers.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 16.—Garrett A.
Dobbin, general colonization agent of
the Santa Fe and a man of many ideas,
hustling schemes and boosting propositions, will start out tomorrow on one
of the most unique and original colonization advertising schemes ever attempted in Texas. With a large phonograph equipped with an immense horn
that will carry the music a half mile he
will start on a tour of the state to attend all the farmers' picnics, barbecues,
old and new settlers' reunions, and all
other gatherings. While furnishing an
unlimited number of musical, vocal and
other selections on the big phonograph,
the object is to attract and command
attention of the farmers for a few minters while Denver, September 4 to 7.

Freight traffic through the state of
Louisiana has been resumed on nearly
all the lines, but the lines are selling
its tickets subject to delay on account
of quarantine. The Santa Fe is selling
its tickets in this manner. The Missouri Pacific accepts freight subject
to injury or interference because of
the quarantine at the owner's risk.
The Frisco is accepting freight to infected points under practically the
same conditions.

Mrs. Conrad Stump, of Albuquerque,
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has been avarded \$1,000 by the Santa
Fe company in voluntary settlement
of her claims for damages against the
time of his death was a section foreattention of the farmers for a few min-utes while Dobbin explains the object of his mission. He will invite the names and addresses of relatives and friends and addresses of relatives and friends of the farmers present living in the north, east and west. To these, many of whom may be induced to come and settle in Texas, Dobbin will send all kinds of literature pertaining to Texas and her resources and also address personal letters. To those present enjoying the free concert and entertainment the colonization agent will distribute handsome souvenir cards, consisting of a series of photographic views showing Texas products in the field, under cultivation and harvesting of various crops and fruits. These large cards are works of art and stamped and ready to mail

and are intended for the farmers to address and mail to friends back in the other states. This phonograph scheme has never been worked in Texas, aithough Dobbin used it successfully for the Santa Fe in California and other states.

argest Railroad Contract Ever Made. Kansas City, Aug. 10.—It was reported mong railroad men and contractors ere that the William Kennefick Conhere that the William Kennefick Con-struction company has secured the con-tract for building the Western Pacific. The road is to be built by the Gould interests from Salt Lake City to San Francisco, at a cost of 11 million dol-lars. The contract is the largest single contract for railroad work ever made in the United States. Mr. Kinnefick is not in Kansas City, and S. N. Lee, who is interested in the company, is in New York where the contract was let York, where the contract was let.

Gossip and Matters of Interest in Railroad Circles.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—The first definite step looking toward the arbitration of the struggle which has been in progress for over a week between the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways and the Order of Railway Telegraphers was taken yesterday when Governor

Midland Valley Deal Is Off.

Akanasa City, Aug. 10.—Beeks Errick and J. W. McCloud, promoter and general solicitor of the Midland Valley railroad, says that the deal with the Santa Fe is entirely off and they are both of the opinion that it will never be taken up again by that road. Valley are to now proceed with the construction of the road as originally planned and it is likely that work to extend the road to the northwest will be commenced immediately. Midland Valley Deal Is Off.

R. I. to Use Double Tracks to K. C. R. I. to Use Double Tracks to K. C.
It is stated by L. F. Goodale of St.
Louis, engineer of maintenance of way
of the Burlington railway, that the interlocking plant being installed at
Birmingham will be finished by the
latter part of September. The threeroads, the Rock Island, the Wabash,
and the Burlington, will then come
into Kansas City on the Burlington
tracks and will go out as far as Birmingham on the Wabash tracks which
will make a double track into Kansas
City.

The mangled body of a young man about 18 years old has been found on the Santa Fe track near Trinidad.

W. C. Groggins has taken the place of W. F. Taylor as agent of the Santa Fe depot at Frontenac while the lat-ter takes his vacation.

The old Santa Fe depot at Strong

City has undergone a complete over

There were no other developments in the situation today. Both sides are claiming that conditions are improving from their standpoint with each passing which contains many pretty pictures as well as interesting reading matter. The grain men and the railroads are having a disagreement of considerable spirit in Kansas City. The grain men claim that the new system of coopering cars is dangerous and say that they will institute a boycott against the roads.

against the roads. Assistant General Passenger Agent William J. Leahy of the Rock Island has issued an attractive folder con-taining views of the Colorado resorts and descriptive matter in connection with the G. A. R. encampment at Denver, September 4 to 7.

whose husband was killed over a year ago by being run down by a Santa Fe train near Florence, Ariz., has been awarded \$1,000 by the Santa Fe company in voluntary settlement of her claims for damages against the corporation. Her husband at the time of his death was a section foreman on the road and was one of the oldest employes in point of service on the system. the system.